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H.R. No. 33

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Members of the Texas Agricultural Lifetime
2 Leadership class XII are visiting the State Capitol as part of their
3 studies, and this occasion provides a fitting opportunity to honor
4 this worthwhile initiative and its participants; and

5 WHEREAS, Established in 1987, the Texas Agricultural
6 Lifetime Leadership program is part of Texas AgriLife Extension
7 Service of The Texas A&M University System; TALL is devoted to the
8 development of outstanding leaders in farming, ranching, and other
9 areas of agribusiness; the program focuses on men and women in the
10 early stages of their careers, and applicants must be residents of
11 Texas actively involved in agriculture-related industries;
12 participants are selected on the basis of their leadership
13 integrity and effectiveness, analytical and communication skills,
14 vocational commitment, and growth potential; and

15 WHEREAS, The goals of the program are to identify and support
16 emerging industry leaders, to heighten their knowledge of current
17 issues, and to increase their personal involvement in state, local,
18 and national activities that contribute to the growth of Texas
19 agriculture; and

20 WHEREAS, The TALL XII class consists of 26 accomplished
21 individuals; during their two years in the program, they will tour
22 extensively throughout Texas and make trips to Washington, D.C.,
23 New York, Maryland, Pennsylvania, and India; their trip to Austin
24 is allowing them to learn firsthand about state government and its

1 relationship with agricultural representation and its effects; and

2 WHEREAS, The members of the TALL XII class are devoting their
3 time and energy to advancing an important component of the state's
4 economy, and they are indeed deserving of recognition for their
5 dedication and hard work; now, therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 82nd Texas
7 Legislature hereby congratulate members of the Texas Agricultural
8 Lifetime Leadership XII class on their selection for participation
9 in this important program and extend to them best wishes for the
10 future; and, be it further

11 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
12 prepared for the class as an expression of high regard by the Texas
13 House of Representatives.